AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please delete the "Table of Contents," at page i-iv of the specification.

Please revise the paragraph on page 133, lines 33-36 as follows:

The following microorganisms were deposited with the Agriculture Research Service Culture Collection (NRRL), <u>1815 North University Street</u>, Peoria, Illinois, on January 11, 1995 and assigned the indicated accession numbers:.

Please revise the paragraph on page 134, lines 10-13 as follows:

The following microorganisms were deposited with the Agriculture Research Service Culture Collection (NRRL), <u>1815 North University Street</u>, Peoria, Illinois, on January 11, 1995 and assigned the indicated accession numbers:

Please revise the paragraph on page 134, lines 15-16 as follows:

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In the event Applicants' Petition to Accept an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for Priority under 37 C.F.R. § 1.78 is granted, please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph on page 1, lines 4-7, with the following paragraph:

This is a continuation of Application Serial No. 09/176,330, filed October 22, 1998, now abandoned, which is a divisional application of Application Serial No. 08/485,573, filed June 7, 1995, now Pat. No. 5,968,770, which is a continuation-in-part of Application Serial No. 08/386,844, filed on February 10, 1995, now Pat. No. 6,156,500.